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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Thirty-eigth Saturday in 1937
(18*th September* 1937.)

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, 18th September 1937						Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1937					
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5	
1	2		3		4		5		6	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.
BANGALORE										
Bangalore (observatory)	0	02	1	90	23	62	24	98	1	64
Hoskote ...	0	34	1	76	15	61	17	89	—2	28
Dodballapur ...	0	06	1	36	10	47	18	99	—8	52
Nelamangala ...	0	09	1	61	12	07	19	11	—7	04
Kankanhalli ...	0	07	1	51	26	43	19	36	7	07
Magadi ...	0	00	1	84	16	25	20	72	—4	47
Channapatna ...	0	00	1	63	19	09	20	55	—1	46
Anekal ...	0	00	1	69	22	47	21	72	0	75
Devanhalli ...	0	09	1	38	14	31	18	33	—4	02
Closepet ...	0	00	1	64	21	61	20	56	1	05
District average ...	0	07	1	63	18	19	19	92	—1	73
KOLAR										
Kolar ...	0	00	1	63	16	07	17	08	—1	01
Bowringpet ...	0	00	1	53	20	07	17	45	2	62
Chintamani ...	0	00	1	48	17	16	16	24	0	92
Mulbagal ...	0	00	1	69	21	63	17	88	3	75
Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	1	77	16	46	18	17	—1	71
Chikballapur ...	0	00	1	70	16	41	19	70	—3	29
Bagepalli ...	0	00	1	70	11	18	16	54	—5	36
Goribidnur ...	0	00	1	60	11	64	16	76	—5	12
Malur ...	0	53	1	66	18	69	18	25	0	44
Srinivaspur ...	0	00	1	67	12	66	17	33	—4	67
Gudibanda ...	0	36	1	80	13	45	19	12	—5	67
District average ...	0	08	1	66	15	95	17	68	—1	73
TUMKUR										
Tumkur ...	0	73	1	74	14	16	20	12	—5	96
Madhugiri ...	0	00	1	49	14	79	16	08	—1	29
Chiknayakanhalli ...	0	00	1	11	7	60	16	07	—8	47
Sira ...	0	00	1	28	7	94	15	44	—7	50
Gubbi ...	0	35	1	71	14	07	17	77	—3	70
Tiptur ...	0	00	1	11	18	86	14	21	4	65
Pavagada ...	0	00	1	26	6	09	13	41	—7	32
Kunigal ...	0	00	1	62	16	06	18	60	—2	54

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·00
Ragi	17·00	18·00	20·00
Kulthi	14·00	15·00	15·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	10·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	6·00
Ragi	18·00	18·00	12·00
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	11·00
Kadale	9·00	9·00	7·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	8·00	5·00
Ragi	16·00	18·00	11·00
Kulthi	14·00	16·00	12·00

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		This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1937				Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
						This year		Average of past 35 years							
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
													Seers	Seers	Seers
MYSORE	Mysore (observatory)	0	20	1	03	23	06	18	81	4	25				
	Chamarajnagar ...	0	00	1	07	15	61	16	30	—0	69				
	Seringapatam ...	0	00	0	98	12	70	15	93	—3	23				
	Hunsur ...	0	00	0	96	15	63	20	38	—4	75				
	Krishnarajnagar ...	0	00	0	80	14	91	15	21	—0	30	Rice 2nd sort.	7·50	9·00	7·00
	Hoggaddevankote ...	0	00	0	72	26	89	27	21	—0	32				
	Gundlupet ...	0	00	0	75	12	45	15	61	—3	16	Ragi	15·00	20·00	13·00
	Nanjangud ...	0	00	0	88	17	46	18	50	—1	04				
	T.-Narsipur ...	0	00	1	26	14	56	17	30	—2	74	Kulthi	15·00	15·00	13·00
	Malvalli ...	0	00	1	21	13	40	16	43	—3	03				
	Mandya ...	0	00	1	33	12	37	16	34	—3	97	Kadale	...	...	...
	Krishnarajpete ...	0	00	1	03	12	95	17	37	—4	42				
	Nagamangala ...	0	00	1	34	10	34	15	43	—5	09				
	Periyapatna ...	0	00	0	57	25	28	23	04	2	24				
	Maddur ...	0	00	1	36	12	13	16	78	0	66				
	French-Rocks ...	0	00	1	07	4	32	4	14	0	18				
	District average ...	0	01	1	02	15	25	17	17	—1	92				
HASSAN	Hassan (observatory)	0	00	1	08	24	12	22	96	1	16				
	Manjarabad (Sakleshpur)	0	95	1	32	59	17	79	83	—20	66	Rice 2nd sort.	10·00	10·00	8·00
	Arkalgud ...	0	34	0	75	21	46	27	12	—5	66				
	Belur ...	0	40	0	70	25	23	28	88	—3	65	Ragi	20·00	25·00	14·00
	Channarayapatna ...	0	00	1	24	9	94	16	70	—6	76				
	Arsikere ...	0	00	1	09	16	59	15	70	0	89	Kulthi	16·00	16·25	12·00
	Hole-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	75	16	95	17	25	—0	30				
	Alur ...	0	24	0	96	29	23	31	88	—2	65	Kadale	8·00	9·00	16·00
	District average ...	0	24	0	99	25	33	30	04	—4	71				
SHIMOGA	Shimoga ...	0	52	0	76	19	10	24	46	—5	36				
	Channagiri ...	0	66	1	04	14	38	20	23	—5	89				
	Honnali ...	0	30	0	95	8	17	14	87	—6	70	Rice 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	6·00
	Shikarpur ...	0	40	0	59	25	79	27	00	—1	21				
	Scrab ...	0	94	0	83	42	11	51	97	—9	86	Ragi	22·00	22·00	18·00
	Sagar ...	1	03	1	06	59	82	69	62	—9	88				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	2	21	1	34	112	67	94	05	18	62	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	10·00
	Tirthahalli ...	2	91	1	55	97	98	110	39	—12	41				
	Kumsi ...	1	36	0	93	29	22	33	01	—3	79				
	District average ...	1	14	1	01	45	46	49	51	—4	05				
KADUR	Chikmagalur ...	0	00	0	74	23	99	24	77	—0	78				
	Kadur ...	0	82	0	69	14	38	13	66	0	72	Rice 2nd sort.	8·00	7·00	8·00
	Tarikere ...	0	40	0	79	23	53	26	39	—2	86				
	Koppa ...	2	71	1	77	104	77	105	15	—0	38	Ragi	25·00	25·00	20·00
	Mudgere ...	1	56	1	78	73	47	75	23	—1	76				
	Narasimharajpura ...	1	12	1	16	58	04	61	63	—3	59	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	16·00
	Sringeri ...	3	29	1	91	110	74	132	40	—21	66				
	District average ...	1	34	1	26	58	41	62	74	—4	33	Kadale	9·00	9·00	9·00
CHITALDRUG	Chitaldrug (observatory)	0	69	0	91	9	65	14	69	—5	04				
	Challakere ...	0	00	1	12	4	22	10	12	—5	90	Rice 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	5·00
	Hiriyur ...	0	05	1	06	5	96	12	56	—6	60				
	Holalkere ...	0	42	0	93	10	82	15	06	—4	24	Ragi	25·00	25·00	12·00
	Davangere ...	0	40	1	13	6	67	15	88	—9	21				
	Molakalmuru ...	0	00	1	75	6	39	13	58	—7	19	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	9·00
	Jagalur ...	0	46	1	33	8	81	13	85	—5	04				
	Hosdurga ...	0	17	0	71	10	43	13	72	—3	29	Cholum	9·00	9·00	5·00
	Harihar ...	0	39	0	96	7	18	13	13	—5	95				
												Kadale	21·00	21·00	12·00

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of harvests, serious damages done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, sugarcane, groundnut, til, ragi, avare and thogari are in a fair condition.
Crops Harvested.—Til is being harvested in all parts in Hoskote Taluk.
Crops Sown.—Nil.
The standing dry crops require rains very urgently.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are generally healthy.
Water and fodder are available.
It is reported that "Blackquarter" is prevailing in part of Closepet Taluk and the Veterinary Department is reported to have been taking necessary action to prevent the spread of the epidemic.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.
Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugarcane, groundnuts, and onions under wells are reported to be in good condition. Dry crops are withering for want of rain throughout the district. Seasonal prospects are causing anxiety in Goribidnur and Bagepalli Taluks.
Crops Sown.—Nil..
Crops Harvested.—Onions in Sidlaghatta Taluk; onions and potatoes in parts of Chikballapur Taluk; giddaragi under wells in Bagepalli Taluk; Verginia tobacco in Goribidnur Taluk; Savanthige flower in Malur Taluk.

10. Generally good except for Plague in a few villages in Kywara Hobli, Chintamani Taluk, Mulbagal Town, Palicherlu, Kundalgurki, Siddapur, Gollahalli, Dogranayakanahalli, Mallur, Anur, Gudla Narasimhahalli, Jangamakote, Hosapete, Sugatur Cheemangla and in many villages in Sidlaghatta Taluk, Devisettihalli, Kuppahalli, Gavigahhalli, Maralakunte, Angarekanhalli, and Avalahalli Villages in Chikballapur Taluk. It is also reported that Small-pox is prevailing in Chikhosahalli Village, Thondebhavi Hobli, Goribidnur Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been adopted to check the spread of the diseases.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District except "Blackquarter" in some villages of Kasaba, Gulur, Pathapalya and Mittemari Hoblies in Bagepalli Taluk, Valapi, Bodibandahalli, Anudi, Puttapurlahalli villages in Goribidnur Taluk.
Water and fodder are available.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
Rains are urgently required.
The continued holding off of the rains is giving room for anxiety.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Paddy in Kunigal Taluk.
Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, thogari, jola, til and groundnut in almost all the taluks; paddy and sugarcane in Kunigal and Koratagere Taluks and in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.
The dry crops are reported to be withering for want of rains.

Crops Harvested.—'Nati' ragi in Pavagada Taluk; paddy in Kunigal Taluk, and paddy and sugarcane in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk and groundnut in Tumkur Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are available.
As there is some scarcity of fodder in the Madhugiri Taluk and in Nagalmadike and Kasaba Hoblies of Pavagada Taluk, all the State Forests in these areas have been thrown open for free grazing for a period of three months.
Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Blackquarter in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are stated to have been addressed in the matter of taking necessary action.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.
Seeds Sown.—Tobacco is being transplanted in Hunsur Taluk and Periyapatna Sub-Taluk. Horsegram in Heggaddevankote and French-Rocks Taluks and oil seeds in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, ragi, horsegram, avare, sugarcane, tobacco, chillies, cotton, til, mulberry and groundnut. Rain is badly needed in all the taluks except Heggaddevankote Taluk and Periyapatna Sub-Taluk. The failure of rains during the past 2 weeks in Maddur Taluk has created some anxiety in the minds of the raiyat population in the dry parts of the taluk. Dry crops are reported to be withering in parts of Hunsur, Gundlupet, T.-Narsipur, Nagamangala and French-Rocks Taluks.
Crops Harvested.—Ragi and tobacco in parts of Hunsur Taluk; ragi and til in Heggaddevankote Taluk; cholum in Gundlupet Taluk; sugarcane in Mandya and sugarcane, mulberry and groundnut in Maddur Taluks.

10. Good.
Water and fodder are available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.
Standing Crops.—Paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk. Ragi in the Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks. Avare in the Hassan, Hole-Narsipur Taluks; cotton, chillies and jola in the Arsikere Taluk; togari and horsegram in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.
Crops are reported to be fading for want of rains in the Arkalgud, Belur, Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks.
Crops Harvested.—Ragi in the Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; paddy and sugarcane in the Channarayapatna Taluk are being harvested.

10. No signs of famine.
Prospects of the season are favourable.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the taluks except in some parts of Arkalgud Taluk, where it is reported that Blackquarter is prevailing and that the concerned Veterinary Inspector has been addressed in the matter.
Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations and Seeds Sown.*—Horsegram in the Taluks of Shimoga, Sorab and Kumsi Sub-Taluk is being sown. Transplantation of paddy is being attended to in the Channel area of the Shimoga Taluk, whereas at Hosanagar it is nearing completion.
State of the Standing Crops.—Sugarcane and paddy in the taluks of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition. In parts of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur, the dry crops are reported to be withering for want of rains. Koleroga is reported to have subsided in Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks. The spraying operations are reported to have been completed. Rain is very badly wanted for all the

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.
Rain is badly required in the maidan taluks.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
Food grains are available.

11. The cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of 'Blackquarter' in Saddikoppa of Kumsi Sub-Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to have taken necessary action to check the spread of the disease.
Fodder and water are available for cattle.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Reaping is going on in Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.
Crops Sown.—Paddy in Koppa Taluk, horsegram and transplanting of paddy crop in Tarikere Taluk.
Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, paddy, ragi, til, jola, coriander, togari, avare, areca, coffee, cardamom. The Amildar of Koppa Taluk reports that 'Koleroga' is prevailing in some parts of his taluk.
Crops Harvested.—Jola, coriander and til in Kadur Taluk and areca in some parts of Sringeri Jahgir.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.
Food grains are available and their prices remain steady.
The Amildar of Kadur Taluk reports that crops are getting dried on account of scarcity of rain.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the district, except in some parts of Tarikere and Mudgere Taluks. It is reported that 'Rinderpest' was prevailing in Tarikere Town and in the villages of Sokke, Belenahalli and Anuvanahalli of Tarikere Taluk and that the Veterinary Inspector has been taking action to check the spread of the disease.
The Amildar of Mudgere taluk reports that Hæmorrhagic Septicæmia is prevailing in some villages of the taluk and that action is being taken to treat the sick animals.
Water and fodder are available in all the parts of the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.
State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be withering for want of rain in many parts of the district.
Crops Harvested.—Ragi in Challekere Taluk and til and jola in Hosdurga Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Cattle are healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of 'ಗಂಡು ಹುಳಗಳ' in Naraganahally, Ramagondanahally, Vaderahally and Dyamavvanahally of Davangere Taluk and in Malemachikere of Jagalur Taluk. Necessary remedial measures are reported to have been adopted by the Veterinary Inspectors concerned.
Water and fodder are generally available.
Owing to shortage of fodder in some villages of Molakalmuru Taluk, the Kamara Kaval State Forest has been thrown open for free grazing.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 21st September 1937.

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